

Parish Collections

Sunday 8th July 2018

St. Agnes - £472.75

St Aidan - £315.81

St Agnes' team to count: Team 3

June Standing Orders

St Agnes - £973.00

St. Aidan - £90.00

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*Thank you for your
generous support*

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Psalm: Let us see, O Lord, your
mercy and give us your
saving help.

Gospel Acc: Your words are spirit, Lord,
and they are life: you have
the message of eternal life.

Gospel: Mark 6:7-13

Preface: 47-51



FAMILY DAY

St Aidan,
2nd September

2018

CEILIDH (Irish Dance)

The Old Schoolhouse,
15th September

FUNDRAISER St Aidan, 12th October



Baptism

Baptism Preparation meeting:

First Monday of each month

St. Agnes' church at 7:30pm

If you wish to have your child baptised,
you **must** contact the Parish Office on
489 3085 and you will be booked into
a preparation meeting.

St. Aidan's Baptisms:

3rd Sunday at 11am (Deacon)

4th Saturday at 12 noon (Fr Anton)

St. Agnes' Baptisms:

1st Sunday at 12.30pm & 2pm (Fr Anton)

4th Sunday at 12.30pm (Deacon)

FOOD BANK

Could any donations for the
food bank be left at the back
of either Church please.



Thank you for your continued support!



**Llysfasí
Spirituality Workshop**

**A creative experiential journey
Foxhill House and Woodlands
13th - 30th August 2018**

HOW TO APPLY?

You can download and print the application form
and the forms for references using the links on the
homepage, or you can request them from
MaryRose Fitzsimmons HHS (Llysfasí Co-ordinator)
Tel: 0151 482 6895 or at the email address below:

The Parish of St. Agnes and St. Aidan

NEWSLETTER



Sunday, 15th July 2018

**Fifteenth Sunday
of Ordinary Time**

Year B

Liverpool Roman Catholic Archdiocesan Trustees Inc.
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Mission Statement of the Archdiocese of Liverpool

***Taking to heart the last words of the Lord Jesus, we will go into the
world and proclaim the Good News to the whole of creation.***

Prayer Requests

For those who are sick or in special need of our Prayers

Vera Cummins, Philip Bromwell, James Soundie, Mary Organ, Thomas Clegg,
Daphne Flynn, Aidan Morris, Maria Edge, Kay McNeill, Wendy Paveley,
Elsie Blundell, Kitty Barnes, Maureen McGurk, Amy Adair, Eddie Doran,
Sandra Rowley, Joseph Hill, Rose Sankey, George Gibbons,
Averyll Fairfield Logan, Carol Atkinson, Sr. Ann, Christine Lees, Susan McDougalle,
Pat Madden, Marion, James Taylor, Philip Gallagher, Ursula Erfani,
Clare Pendleton, Victoria Hill-Edmundson, Wyn Graham, Josie Riley, Jennifer McLaughlin,
Caelan McKeown, Mary Davis, Jimmy Jones, Margaret Flynn, Aaron Carmichael,
Triona Bromwell, Patrick McKeown, Maisie Pritchard, Janet & Ray Cragg,
Maisie Linda O'Keefe, Margaret Sergison, Nancy Evans, Collette Garlick, Anthony Winrow,
Nick Gregory, Kathleen Hughes, Philip Malone, Nathan Davies, Mrs Lynch, Ann Gavin,
Roisin & Pdraig McRory, Jerome Mitchell, Lawrence McClintock, Pauline Irvine, Peter Kelly,
John Kennedy, Laura Mitchell, Sophie Bond, Colette Martin, Jennifer McKeown,
Christina Hill, Baby Sonny, Angela Smith, Alan McMahon, Graham Dawson,
Kathleen Keenan, Kate Williams, John Humphry, Rose Rawlinson, Marie Hunter,
Tommy Swift, Nicholas Cragg, Sarah Doherty, Eileen Critchley, Terry Martin,
Fr. Bernard Higham, Michael Ryan, . Fr. Simon, John Mulcahey, Sr Egno, Bruce Dixon,
Marjorie Clutton, Peter Lovelady, Margaret Murphy,
Fr Nicholas Wild, Molly Kennedy, James Abraham, Ann Holden, Margaret Leadbetter,
Mave Mooney, Brenda McArdle, Bridie Dillon, Gerry Reid, Kayleigh Martin,
Jimmy Williams, Tricia Andrews, Barbara Lee, Annette Devine, Teresa Dring, Bernard Riley,
Anthony Wilson, Marie Keight, Mary Murray.

There are a number of young adults in our parishes who are terminally ill at the moment. Please remember them and their families specially in your prayers.

Lately Deceased

Michele Bulger, Francis Allen, John Sullivan, Sheila Carson, Clara Taylor, Stella Passey, Donny McKay

Anniversaries

Shirley Johnson, Tony Gavin, Nellie & Peter Lynch, Nancy & Paul Cardwell, Norman & Siobhan Arnold, Patricia Moore.

Sanctuary Lamps week beginning – 15th July, 2018

St. Agnes - Parishioners of St. Agnes and St. Aidan

St. Aidan - Parishioners of St. Agnes and St. Aidan

Please ensure that details of your dedication are written on the front of the envelope and placed in the black post box in the Sacristy.

PARISH OFFICE/PRESBYTERY

Main Parish Office: St. Aidan

92 Adswood Road, L36 7XR

Tel/fax: 0151 489 3085

Office Hours:

Monday-Thursday 9.00am - 12.30pm

Friday 9.00am - 4.00pm

St Agnes Church

82 Huyton Hey Road, L36 5SQ

Tel: 449 2209

Mass cards available from either church

Email Address:

agnesaidan@rcaolp.co.uk

For your information:

Parish Newsletters are posted on

Parish Website every week at:

www.stagnes-staidan.org.uk

Newsletter items by Thursday morning to parish office

St. Aidan's Parish Centre

Memberships available

MONDAY

Slimming World 3.30pm, 5.30pm & 7.30pm

TUESDAY

Slimming World 9.30am, 11.30am

(Michelle: 07940181515)

Country Night 7.30pm

WEDNESDAY

Bingo at 1.00pm Quiz Night

THURSDAY

Bingo 7.30pm

SUNDAY

Cabaret Night

Function room for hire Friday, Saturday and noon Sunday. Provide your own catering or ask for a quote. All enquiries contact: **Jacqui on: 0151 489 9024**

PARISH CONTACTS



SISTERS:

Helpers of the Holy Souls

Sr. Elizabeth 0151 480 7904

Sr. Mary Rose 0151 482 6895

Sisters of St. Mary of Namur

Sr. Barbara 0151 481 0968

Sr. Gabriel 0151 489 1302

Sr. Louise 0151 489 1302

PRIMARY SCHOOLS:

St. Aidan 0151 477 8370

St. Joseph 0151 477 8990

St. Anne's 0151 477 8260

PARISH CLERGY:

Parish Priest

Rev. Fr. Anton Fernandopulle
0151 489 3085

Deacons:

Mike Whelan, Joe Morgan

PARISH CLUB

St. Aidan: 0151 489 9024

'Parish of St. Agnes and St. Aidan'

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Rosary at St. Aidan's

The Rosary will be
prayed on the 1st Sunday
of the month at
4pm in St. Aidan's.

All are welcome.

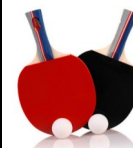


TABLE TENNIS

Table tennis
will resume in
September



Saturday 28th July 2018

This will be held on the last
Saturday of every month
from 8am -12pm in

Sr. Elizabeth Kelly's meeting room
St. Agnes Church, Huyton Hey Road



Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham

The trip to Walsingham will be
**Monday 15th -
Thursday 18th October 2018.**

*All who have booked a place and are
travelling will need to pay a
non-refundable deposit
of £50 by 15th July 2018*

SVP Afternoon

The SVP of St Agnes and St Aidan
would like to invite our Parishioners to an
afternoon of Music, Dance and
Refreshments, at St Aidan Parish Club
on Thursday 2nd August from 2-4pm

If you plan to attend please let either Bob
Singleton, Ian Murray, Kath and Jose
Martinez, Julie Morgan or Anne Whelan
know no later than 29th July.

St. Agnes' Little Church



Sunday, 29th July
Kim and Paula

Sunday, 5th August
No Little Church during August

MARY'S MEALS

It is that time of year again when we will shortly start collecting for Mary's Meal's. Items can be donated over the summer holidays at church. This is the seventh year our parish has participated and to date we have sent over 700 completed backpacks. Good quality second-hand items are ideal and many schools see this as a great recycling opportunity, while new items can be found in most supermarket value ranges. Complete backpacks and individual items are gratefully received! The cost of feeding a child for an entire school year is £13.90.

List of items for backpacks:

Backpack, notepad, pencil case with: pencils/pens, ruler, crayons, pencil sharpener, eraser.
Flip flops / sandals, shorts and t-shirt (for a boy) dress or skirt and blouse (for a girl),
Towel, bar of soap, toothpaste and toothbrush. tennis ball, dessert spoon (preferably metal)

The Backpack Project complements the main focus of our work, which will always be providing school meals for the world's poorest children.

Please only donate the items requested on the list, as any other items may be removed at the sorting centre to avoid difficulties at customs and also when the bags are distributed in the villages.



Mass Intentions

Saturday 14th July

St. Agnes Mass 5.30pm – Chris McCormack

Sunday 15th July - Fifteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

St. Aidan Mass 9.30am - Jim and Josie Phillips

St. Agnes Mass 11.00am - Tony Gavin, Nancy & Paul Cardwell, Michael Garside

Followed by the Parish BBQ at St Agnes

Monday 16th July

St Agnes Requiem Mass 11.00am - Francis Joseph Allen

Tuesday 17th July

St. Aidan Requiem Mass 11.00am - John James Sullivan

Wednesday 18th July

St. Joseph's School End of Year Mass 9.10am (in school)

St. Agnes Funeral Service 12 noon - Michelle Bulger

St. Agnes Mass 7.30pm - Matthew Cassidy

Thursday 19th July

St. Aidan 12 noon - John Sullivan

St. Anne's School End of Year Mass 1.30pm (in school)

Friday 20th July

St. Aidan Requiem Mass 10.30am - Clara Taylor

Saturday 21st July

St. Agnes Mass 5.30pm – Nellie & Peter Lynch

Sunday 22nd July - Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

St. Aidan Mass 9.30am - Deacon Mike Whelan

(20th Anniversary of Ordination)

St. Agnes Mass 11.00am - Norman and Siobhan Arnold

**Confessions: Saturday at St. Agnes 5pm- 5.20pm
and Friday after 12 noon Mass at St. Aidan's** *(Until there is nobody waiting)*

*Please contact the Parish office if you would like an anniversary added
to the Prayer List in the Newsletter. Thank you.*

Being Present to the Presence

By some wondrous “coincidence,” the mystical gaze happens whenever our heart space, our mind space, and our body awareness are all simultaneously open and non resistant. I like to call it *pure presence*. It is experienced as a moment of deep inner connection, and it always pulls you, intensely satisfied, into the naked and undefended now, which can involve both profound joy and profound sadness, and often at the same time. At that point, you want to write poetry, pray, or be utterly silent.

I call contemplation “full-access knowing”—not irrational, but pre-rational, rational, and trans-rational all at once. Contemplation refuses to be reductionistic. Contemplation is an exercise in *keeping your heart and mind spaces open long enough for the mind to see other hidden material*. It is content with the naked now and waits for futures given by God and grace. As such, a certain amount of love for an object and for myself must precede any full knowing of it. As the Dalai Lama says so insightfully, “A change of heart is always a change of mind.” You could say the reverse as well—a change of mind is also a change of heart. Eventually they *both* must change for us to see properly.

Before communion, I always tell the people that there is no prerequisite of worthiness or understanding to come to this table. (Who is worthy? Who understands?) The only prerequisite is a capacity for presence. The work of spirituality, which makes presence possible, is keeping the heart space open (which is the work of love), keeping the mind space in a “right mind” (which is the work of contemplation), and keeping the body living inside this very moment (which is often the work of healing). Those who can keep all three open at the same time will know The Presence. That’s the only prerequisite. Present people will know the Presence. *Adsum* we said in Latin, “I am here!”

Adapted from

The Naked Now: Learning to See as the Mystics

The Enneagram as a Tool for Your Spiritual Journey

Lourdes Pilgrimage 17th September 2018 x 5 nights

17th SEPT flying direct Manchester/
Lourdes 22th SEPT Lourdes/Manchester

£699 per person sharing -

Hotel La Solitude

£36 per night single supplement

**Please note: A non-refundable
deposit of £250 is required**



Includes: Return flights
from Liverpool via Dublin,
transfers in Lourdes. Daily
breakfast, lunch & dinner.

Luggage allowance
10kg hand luggage + 15kg
check-in luggage

PRAYERS PLEASE !!

Please remember these parishioners
in your prayers.

WCMAD

ROMANIA 2018

(Petroșani, Transylvania, Romania)

Our parishioners travelling to

Romania on 21st July are:

Veronica Akpogheneta, Honor Ambrose.

*Philip Ambrose, Bryan Blois,
Monica Blois, Frances Camello,
Amanda Clutton, Jan Downing,
Elloise Hoey, Maureen Rimmer,
Lesley Sheridan, Veronica Stone,
Ben White.*

Our parish-youth joining the

Diocesan youth pilgrimage this week are:

*Poppy and Holy Fenn, Charlotte and Amelia
Jenks, Rosie Sheridan and Michael Oakley.*

Thanks for your prayerful support.

St. Aidan's Little Church

Sunday, 15th July

Geraldine and Kath

Sunday, 22nd July

School Holidays



NATIONAL SHRINE OF ST. PIO

At the American Franciscan Friary, Pantasaph

You are invited to join us at our

St. Pio Prayer Days

with Mass, Rosary, Talk, Stations of the Cross
and an opportunity to be blessed with the
St. Pio Relic. (*Confessions will be available*)

*Please bring a pack lunch, donations for tea
and coffee accepted*

Registration cost for the day: £5.00

(payable on the day) Places available for

Sunday, 12th August 2018

Sunday 23rd September 2018

For further details and booking,

please contact: Bother Michael Hargan, O.F.M. CAP

Tel: 01352 711053 email: pantasaph@gmail.com

Franciscan Friary Pantasaph, Holywell, Flintshire CH8 8PE



Donations of good quality clothes can be left at
the back of either church after Mass
or handed in to the office.

They are also collecting any type of currency
(coins or notes) including old English and
Euros. The money is then sorted, bagged and
sent to a coin exchange.

www.weareurgent.org